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In re Application of:)
 DOUGLAS E. OTT, et al.) Group Art Unit 3763
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 Serial No. 09/497,620) Examiner: Mendez, M.
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 Filed: February 3, 2000) Attorney Docket 1-15368
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 For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR) Paper No.
 CONDITIONING GAS FOR MEDICAL)
 PROCEDURES HAVING HUMIDITY)
 MONITORING AND RECHARGE)
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AMENDMENT

Honorable Sir:

Applicants, in response to the non-final Official Action of May 18, 2005, hereby authorize, and request, entry of the following amendments into the file of the above-captioned letters patent application. A request for a one-month extension in the due date for reply, up to, and including, September 18, 2005, is enclosed herewith.